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In re application of: Dr. Gunter HALMSCHLAGER et al.

Application No. : 09/482,263

**Mail Stop Amendment**  
Group Art Unit : 1731

Filed : January 13, 2000

Examiner : E. HUG

For : BELT FOR MACHINES FOR PRODUCING MATERIAL WEBS AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE BELT

**Mail Stop Amendment**

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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a **Response under 37 C.F.R. 1.112** in the above-captioned application.

Small Entity Status of this application under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a previously filed statement.  
 A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.  
 A Request for Extension of Time.  
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Claims After Amendment	No. Claims Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Small Entity		Other Than A Small Entity	
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Multiple Dependent Claims Presented			+180=	\$	+360=	\$ 0.00
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**RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.112**

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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of September 28, 2004, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response was set to expire on December 28, 2004, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejections set forth in the above-mentioned Official Action in view of the herein contained amendments and remarks.

***Amendments to the Claims*** are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

***Remarks*** begin on page 14 of this paper.

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